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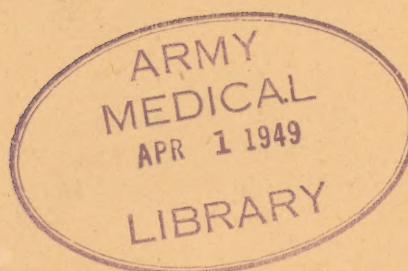
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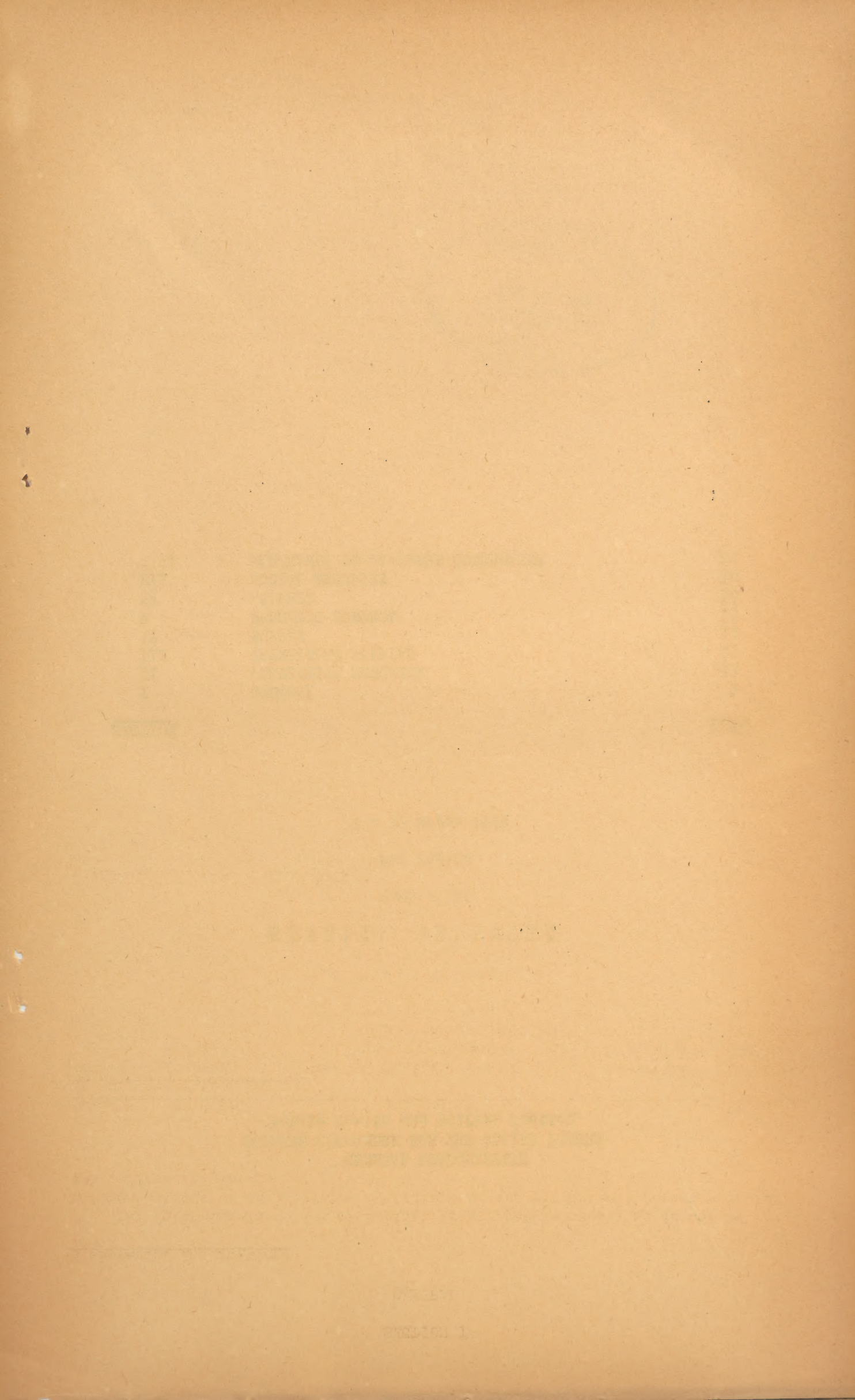
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SECTION I

GENERAL

Ministerial Instructions

The following is a list of English translated instructions issued by the various Bureaus of the Ministry of Welfare to the prefectural governments for the periods indicated:

7 - 12 February

Date	File No.	Subject	To:	From:
<u>Disease Prevention Bureau</u>				
Feb. 10	Yo-hatsu No. 127	Re: Allocation of expenses on control of communicable diseases for the fiscal year 1948 - 49.	All prefec- tural gover- nors.	Director, Disease Prevention Bureau
Feb. 10	Yo-hatsu No. 128	Re: Partial amendment of form of the individual card on preventive inoculation.	"	"
<u>Pharmaceutical and Supply Bureau</u>				
Feb. 7	Yaku-hatsu No. 164	Re: Standards of registration	"	Director, Pharmaceu- tical and Supply Bureau
Feb. 8	Yaku-hatsu No. 192	Re: Renewal of registration under Article 9 of the Regulations on Distribution of Medical Articles, etc.	"	"
Feb. 8	Yaku-hatsu No. 193	Re: Full-time pharmacists to administer pharmacies.	"	"
Feb. 8	Yaku-hatsu No. 198	Re: Allotment of plate glass for construction for the terminal demanders.	"	"
Feb. 8	Yaku-hatsu No. 199	Re: Partial amendment of the Regulations on Distribution of Medical Articles, etc.	"	"
Feb. 9	Yaku-hatsu No. 207	Re: Execution of the state examination for pharmacists.	"	"
Feb. 10	Yaku-hatsu No. 210	Re: Amending a part of form of the construction plan under the Temporary Regulations on Restriction of Construction	"	"
Feb. 10	Yaku-hatsu No. 211	Re: Change of quantity of the article for examination necessary for re-examination of preventive inoculation liquor, etc.	"	"
Feb. 11	Yaku-hatsu No. 216	Re: Licensing the narcotic dealer.	"	"

Feb. 11	Yaku-hatsu No. 217	Re: Allotment of the designated precious metal and gold-platinum alloy for the dentists.	All prefec- tural gover- nors.	Director, Pharmaceu- tical and Supply Bureau
<u>Social Affairs Bureau</u>				
Feb. 7	Sha-hatsu No. 208	Re: Theft of LIRA relief commodity (goats).	Governor, Hyogo Pref.	Director, Social Affairs Bureau
Feb. 7	Sha-hatsu No. 209	Re: Allotment of alcohol for operation of the work providing agencies.	Governors, Osaka & another Pref.	"
Feb. 7	Sha-hatsu No. 210	Re: Application for the standard amount of living aid and expenses to be expended for living aid under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Yamagata Pref.	"
Feb. 7	Sha-hatsu No. 211	Re: Change of the plan on equipments of the protective institutions under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Ehime Pref.	"
Feb. 7	Sha-hatsu No. 212	Re: Approval on equipments of the protective institutions under the Daily Life Security Law for the fiscal year 1948-1949, and national grant-in-aid therefor.	Governor, Ishikawa Pref.	"
Feb. 7	Sha-hatsu No. 213	Re: "	Governor, Miyagi Pref.	"
Feb. 8	Sha-hatsu No. 215	Re: Investigation into the actual condition of the protective institutions.	Governor, Fukuoka Pref.	"
Feb. 8	Sha-hatsu No. 216	Re: Consultation on licensing of the protective institutions under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Osaka Pref.	"
Feb. 8	Sha-hatsu No. 217	Re: Licensing of the protective institutions under the Daily Life Security Law.	"	"
Feb. 8	Sha-hatsu No. 218	Re: Consultation on licensing of the protective institutions under the Daily Life Security Law.	"	"
Feb. 8	Sha-hatsu No. 219	Re: Creation of the protective institutions under the Daily Life Security Law for the fiscal year 1948-49, and national grant-in-aid therefor.	Governor, Toyama Pref.	"
<u>Social Affairs Bureau</u>				
Feb. 9	Sha-hatsu No. 222	Re: Allotment of felt for operation of the work providing agencies.	Governors, Yamagata & 5 other Pref.	Director, Social Affairs Bureau

Feb. 9	Sha-hatsu No. 224	Re: Excessive payment beyond the standard amount of living aid under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governors, Yamagata & 5 other Prefs.	Director, Social Af- fairs Bureau
Feb. 11	Sha-hatsu No. 230	Re: Special distribution of LARA relief commodity	Governor, Tokyo Metropolis	"
Feb. 11	Sha-hatsu No. 235	Re: Change of quantities to be allocated of LARA relief commodity	Governor, Kanagawa Pref.	"
Feb. 11	Sha-hatsu No. 236	Re: Consultation on change of the plan on establishment of the accommodation facilities for the repatriates and other needy persons.	Governor, Mie Pref.	"
Feb. 11	Sha-hatsu No. 237	Re: Consultation on licensing of establishment of the protective institutions under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Saga Pref.	"
Feb. 12	Sha-hatsu No. 238	Re: National grant-in-aid for expenses on appointment of the paid personnel to engage in guidance for social survey.	Governor, Kanagawa Pref.	"
Feb. 12	Sha-hatsu No. 241	Re: Excessive payment beyond the standard amount of living aid and excessive payment beyond the regular amount of expenses to be expended for living aid under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Kochi Pref.	"
Feb. 12	Sha-hatsu No. 242	Re: Excessive payment beyond the standard amount of aid for calling under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Miyazaki Pref.	"
Feb. 12	Sha-hatsu No. 243	Re: Establishment of the accommodation facilities for the repatriates and other needy persons for the fiscal year 1948-49, and national grant-in-aid therefor.	Governor, Gifu Pref.	"
Feb. 12	Sha-hatsu No. 244	Re: Consultation on licensing of the protective institutions under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Mie Pref.	"
Feb. 12	Sha-hatsu No. 245	Re: Establishment of the protective institution under the Daily Life Security Law for the fiscal year 1948-49, and national grant-in-aid therefor.	Governor, Gifu Pref.	"
Feb. 12	Sha-hatsu No. 246	Re: Licensing of the protective institution under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Miyazaki Pref.	"
Feb. 12	Sha-hatsu No. 249	Re: Excessive payment beyond the regular payment of expenses to be expended for living aid under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Tokyo, Metropolis	"

Feb. 12	Sha-hatsu No. 250	Re: Excessive payment beyond the standard amount of aid for calling under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Aichi Pref.	Director Social Affairs Bureau
Feb. 12	Sha-hatsu No. 251	Re: Excessive payment beyond the regular amount of living aid to those having been delegated for accommodation under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Tokyo Metropolis	"
Feb. 12	Sha-hatsu No. 252	Re: Consultation on licensing of the protective institution under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Hokkaido	"
Feb. 12	Sha-hatsu No. 253	Re: Excessive payment beyond the regular payment of expenses to be expended for living aid under the Daily Life Security Law.	"	"
Feb. 12	Sha-hatsu No. 255	Re: Establishment of the protective institution under the Daily Life Security Law for the fiscal year 1948-49, and national grant-in-aid therefor.	Governor, Kochi Pref.	"
Feb. 7	Sha-otsu- hatsu No. 28	Re: Allocation of L.R. relief commodity (clothings).	All prefec- tural govern- ors,	"
Feb. 9	Sha-otsu- hatsu No. 29	Re: Additional distribution of material for artificial limbs for the fourth quarter in the fiscal year 1948-49.	"	"
Feb. 9	Sha-otsu- hatsu No. 30	Re: Investigation into the public pawnshops.	"	"
Feb. 9	Sha-otsu- hatsu No. 31	Re: Allotment of petroleum products for the work providing agencies.	"	"
Feb. 11	Sha-otsu- hatsu No. 32	Re: Report on the actual conditions of the goats from L.R.	"	"
Feb. 11	Sha-otsu- hatsu No. 33	Re: Allocation of the budget of national grant-in-aid for expenses on protection under the Daily Life Security Law for the fiscal year 1948-49.	"	"
Feb. 12	Sha-otsu- hatsu No. 34	Re: Additional payment of national grant-in-aid for expenses on guidance for the welfare commissioners for the fiscal year 1948-49.	"	"
<u>Children's Bureau</u>				
Feb. 7	Ji-hatsu No. 103	Re: Allotment of "tatami" for the child welfare agencies.	"	Director, Children's Bureau.

Feb. 8	Hatsu-ji No. 8	Re: National grant-in-aid for expenses on equipment of the child welfare agency (the home for dependent, neglected and abused children) for the fiscal year 1948-49.	Governor, Fukui Pref.	Chief, Accounts Section
Feb. 8	Ji-hatsu No. 104	Re: Allotment of petroleum products for February.	Governor, Osaka Pref.	Director, Children's Bureau
Feb. 8	Ji-hatsu No. 106 & 24 Shokuryo No. 656	Re: Distribution of alpha powder for infants.	All prefec- tural governors	" Foodstuff Control Bureau
Feb. 11	Ji-hatsu No. 112	Re: Freightage of "tatami-omote" for the child welfare agencies for the second quarter in the fiscal year 1948-49.	Governor, Tokyo. Metropolis	Director, Children's Bureau
Feb. 12	Ji-hatsu No. 116	Re: Questions on dealing with the child welfare agencies in connection with "Illegal use of Government or public educational facilities."	All prefec- tural governors	"
Feb. 12	Ji-hatsu No. 117	Re: Allotment of paint for the child welfare agencies.	Governors, Yamanashi & Saitama Prefs.	"
<u>Insurance Bureau</u>				
Feb. 7	Ho-hatsu No. 13	Re: Instances on entry of the revenue and expenditure budget.	Chairmen of boards of directors, health in- surance associations.	Director, Insurance Bureau
Feb. 7	Ho-hatsu No. 14	Re: Instances on entry of the revenue and expenditure budget of the health insurance association.	All prefec- tural governors.	"
Feb. 7	Ho-hatsu No. 15	Re: Writings to be attached to an application for approval on (change of) the rate of insurance fee.	Chairmen of boards of directors, health in- surance as- sociations.	"
Feb. 7	Ho-hatsu No. 16	Re: Writings to be attached to an application for approval on (change of) the rate of insurance fee of the health insurance association.	All prefec- tural governors.	"
Feb. 7	Ho-hatsu No. 17	Re: Compilation of the budget	" Chairmen of boards of directors, health in- surance associa- tions.	"
Feb. 8	Ho-hatsu No. 12	Re: Notification of the Disbursement program of the general accounts under the jurisdiction of Ministry of Welfare for the fiscal year 1948-49.	All prefec- tural governors.	"

Feb. 9	Ho-hatsu No. 18	Re: Amendment of the sum to be paid of the unemployment insurance under the seamen's insurance.	all prefec- tural gover- nors.	Director, Insurance Bureau
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Repatriation Relief Agency

Feb. 7	Engo No. 104	Re: Preparation for shipment of the assets left by loochocans.	"	Director, Repatria- tion Relief Bureau
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Feb. 9	Engo No. 108	Re: Delegation of disbursement of expenses required for repatria- tion, etc., of persons other than Japanese for the fiscal year 1948-49.	Governors, Tokyo & 8 other Prefcs.	"
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Feb. 11	Engo No. 119	Re: Forwarding the roster of Korean nationals whose repatriation has been permitted by GHQ, SCAP	Governors, Tokyo & 23 other Prefcs.	"
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Feb. 11	En-but-su No. 120	Re: Change on sales of necessities	Governor, Tokyo Metropolis	"
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Feb. 11	Engo No. 121	Re: Forwarding the roster of Koreans whose repatriation has been permitted by GHQ, SCAP.	Governor, Yamaguchi Pref.	"
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Feb. 12	Ich-i-fuki No. 2686	Re: Responsibility for business affairs in connection with the war criminals and the boundary of such business, etc.	All chiefs, Service Sections, prefectural governments.	Director Demobili- zation Bureau.
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14 - 19 February

Accounts Section

Feb. 15	Kai-hatsu No. 114	Re: Handling affairs on attesta- tion of check, etc.	All direc- tors of ministerials departments & bureaus.	Chief, Account Section
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Feb. 17	Kai-hatsu No. 122	Re: Matters to be attended concern- ing settlement for the fiscal year 1948-1949.	"	"
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Public Sanitation Bureau

Feb. 16	Ei-hatsu No. 169	Re: Inspection of the Ise-Shima National Park.	Governor, Mie Pref.	Director, Public Sanitation Bureau
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Feb. 16	Ei-hatsu No. 170	Re: Approval on construction of water-works of Kisarazu City.	Governor, Chiba Pref.	"
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Feb. 16	Ei-hatsu No. 171	Re: Approval on construction for enlargement and improvement of water-source of Choshi City.	"	"
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Feb. 16	Ei-hatsu No. 172	Re: Approval on laying works of the distributing pipe of water- works of Takasaki City.	Governor, Gumma Pref.	"
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Feb. 16	Ei-hatsu No. 173	Re: Approval on laying of sater- works of Muroto Town.	Governor, Kochi Pref.	"
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Public Sanitation Bureau

Feb. 16	Ei-hatsu No. 174	Re:	Approval on laying of water-works by the Osuge Water-Supply Association.	Governor, Nagano Pref.	Director, Public Sanitation Bureau.
Feb. 19	Ei-hatsu No. 178	Re:	Business conference of the section-chiefs in charge of the national parks.	Prefectural governors concerned.	"

Medical Affairs Bureau

Feb. 11	I-hatsu No. 128	Re:	Application for designation of the training institution for nurses of B class.	All prefectural governors	Director, Medical Affairs Bureau
Feb. 19	I-hatsu No. 149	Re:	Prevention of loss (theft) of articles.	Directors, branch offices of Medical Affairs Bureau; Chiefs, medical equipments.	"

Disease Prevention Bureau

Feb. 15	Yo-hatsu No. 145	Re:	Arrangement of documents on accidents by inoculation against diphtheria.	Governors, Kyoto and 2 other prefs.	Director, Disease Prevention Bureau
Feb. 16	Yo-hatsu No. 149	Re:	Approval on execution of physical examination under Article 12 of the Venereal Disease Prevention Law.	Governor, Yamagata Pref.	"
Feb. 16	Yo-hatsu No. 150	Re:	Extermination of vermin on those who go and return between Hokkaido and Japan proper.	Governors, Hokkaido and Aomori Pref.	"
Feb. 17	Yo-hatsu No. 151	Re:	Amendment and supplement on control of influenza.	All prefectural governors.	"
Feb. 18	Yo-hatsu No. 159	Re:	Use of preventive inoculation liquor having stood the re-examination.	"	"

Pharmaceutical and Supply Bureau

Feb. 14	Yaku-hatsu No. 234	Re:	Emergency measures on control of biological preparations and containers of sera.	All prefectural governors.	Director, Pharmaceutical and Supply Bureau.
Feb. 15	Yaku-hatsu No. 241	Re:	The sellers engaging in selling sanitary material only.	"	"
Feb. 17	Yaku-hatsu No. 252	Re:	Transfer of morphine hydrochloride.	All prefectural governors.	"
Feb. 19	Yaku-hatsu No. 268	Re:	Disposition by destruction of vaccine purchased by the national treasury.	Governors, Tokyo and 8 other prefs.	"
Feb. 8	Hatsu-yaku No. 18	Re:	Measures for control of sub-standard medicine.	All prefectural governors.	"

Feb. 8	Hatsu-Yaku No. 18	Re: Measures for control of sub- standard medicine.	All prefectural governors.	Director, Pharmaceuti- cal and Supply Bureau
<u>Social Affairs Bureau</u>				
Feb. 14	Sha-hatsu No. 257	Re: Approval on partial amendment of the constitution of the Koshin-kai, Foundational Juridical Person.	Governor, Tokyo Metro- polis.	Director, Social Affairs Bureau.
Feb. 14	Sha-hatsu No. 261	Re: Execution of guidance and in- spection of business affairs in connection with the Daily Life Security Law.	Governors, Tottori and another prefs.	"
Feb. 14	Sha-hatsu No. 262	Re: Establishment of the protective institutions under the Daily Life Security Law for the fiscal year 1948-49, and national grant- in-aid therefor.	Governor, Saitama Pref.	"
Feb. 14	Sha-hatsu No. 263	Re: "	Governor, Tochigi Pref.	"
Feb. 14	Sha-hatsu No. 268	Re: Allotment of paint for operation of the work providing agencies.	Governors, Aomori and 5 other prefs.	"
Feb. 14	Sha-hatsu No. 269	Re: Continuance of approval on the protective institutions under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Aichi Pref.	"
Feb. 14	Sha-hatsu No. 270	Re: Investigation into the actual conditions of the protective institutions.	Governor, Hiroshima Pref.	"
Feb. 15	Sha-hatsu No. 271	Re: The candidates for inmates of Uji-ryo, the protective institu- tion for the handicapped.	Governor, Kyoto Pref.	"
Feb. 15	Sha-hatsu No. 272	Re: National grant-in-aid for the expenses on establishment of the protective institutions under the Daily Life Security Law for the fiscal year 1948-49.	Governor, Saga Pref.	"
Feb. 17	Sha-hatsu No. 281	Re: Application for approval on pay- ment other than the standard of living aid under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Yamagata Pref.	"
Feb. 17	Sha-hatsu No. 282	Re: Grant of contributions	Governor, Hokkaido	"
Feb. 17	Sha-hatsu No. 284	Re: Temporary payment of living aid under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Kumamoto Pref.	"
Feb. 17	Sha-hatsu No. 285	Re: Consultation on approval on the protective institutions under the provision of Article 7 of the Daily Life Security Law.	"	"
Feb. 17	Sha-hatsu No. 286	Re: Excessive payment beyond the standard of expenses to be ex- pended for living aid under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Fukui Pref.	"

Feb. 17	Sha-hatsu No. 287	Re: Questions on the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Tokyo Metro.	Director, Social Affairs Bureau
Feb. 17	Sha-hatsu No. 288	Re: Continuance of approval on the protective institutions under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Aichi Pref.	"
Feb. 17	Sha-hatsu No. 289	Re: Investigation into the actual conditions of the protective institutions.	Governor, Gumma Pref.	"
Feb. 17	Sha-hatsu No. 290	Re: Application for excessive pay- ment beyond the standard amount of living aid and beyond the regular amount of expenses to be expended for living aid under the Daily Life Security Law.	Governor, Kyoto Pref.	"
Feb. 19	Sha-hatsu No. 293	Re: National grant-in-aid for ex- penses on relief for daily life of needy German nationals in Japan for the fiscal year 1948-49.	Governors, Tokyo and another pref.	"
Feb. 19	Sha-hatsu No. 294	Re: National grant-in-aid for ex- penses on protection program for the specific women for the fiscal year 1948-49.	Governors, Tokyo and 6 other prefs.	"
Feb. 19	Sha-hatsu No. 296	Re: Guidance and promotion of the branch office of the Japanese Red Cross Society.	Governor, Toyama Pref.	"
Feb. 19	Sha-hatsu No. 297	Re: Guidance and inspection of bus- iness affairs on relief of disaster damages by the "Katharine" typhoon.	Governor, Gumma Pref.	"
Feb. 19	Sha-hatsu No. 298	Re: Presentation of LARA relief com- modity.	Governor, Yamanashi Pref.	"
Feb. 12	Sha-otsu- hatsu No. 35	Re: National grant-in-aid for ex- penses on guidance for the welfare commissioners for the fiscal year 1948-49.	All prefectural governors.	"
Feb. 12	Sha-otsu- hatsu No. 36	Re: National grant-in-aid for expenses on appointment of personnel to engage in guidance for the wel- fare commissioners for the fiscal year 1948-49.	"	"
Feb. 12	Sha-otsu- hatsu No. 37	Re: National grant-in-aid for expenses on guidance for the welfare com- missioners for the fiscal year 1948-49.	"	"
Feb. 12	Sha-otsu- hatsu No. 39	Re: Allotment of chemical products for the work providing agencies for the third quarter in the fiscal year 1948-49.	"	"
Feb. 16	Sha-otsu- hatsu No. 40	Re: Questions on the Consumer's Livelihood Co-operative Associa- tion Law.	"	"

Feb. 16	Sha-otsu-hatsu No. 41	Re: Survey of areas where the program All on absorption of outcast commun- prefectural ities is carried out. governors. Social Affairs Bureau
Feb. 18	Sha-otsu-hatsu No. 42	Re: Allocation of the budget of : " " national grant-in-aid for expenses on protection under the Daily Life Security Law for the fiscal year 1948-49.
Feb. 18	Sha-otsu-hatsu No. 43	Re: Report of materials for the work " " providing agencies.
Feb. 12	Sha-otsu-hatsu No. 38	Re: National grant-in-aid for expenses " " on appointment of full-time personnel to engage in functions of the institutions for stabilization of people's life for the fiscal year 1948-49.

Children's Bureau

Feb. 14	Ji-hatsu No. 113	Re: Allocation of the budget of All national grant-in-aid for expenses prefectural on equipments of the child welfare governors. Bureau; centers and the temporary shelters Chief, Accounts Section for the fiscal year 1948-49.
Feb. 14	Ji-hatsu No. 119	Re: Allocation of the budget of " Director, national grant-in-aid for expenses Children's on establishment of the mothers' Bureau homes (for the fourth quarter) in the fiscal year 1948-49.
Feb. 14	Ji-hatsu No. 121	Re: Exemption from the entrance-tax on " " the pictures for children.
Feb. 15	Ji-hatsu No. 123	Re: Appointment of the child welfare Governor, officials. Nagasaki Pref. "
Feb. 16	Ji-hatsu No. 124	Re: Allotment of rubber products for All " the second and third quarters in prefectural the fiscal year 1948-49. governors.
Feb. 18	Ji-hatsu No. 134	Re: Change of the plan on establish- Governor, ment of the day nursery of Chiba Chiba Pref. "
Feb. 18	Ji-hatsu No. 138	Re: Informal declaration on appoint- Governor, ment of the principal of a pre- Yamaguchi fectural home for juvenile educa- Pref. " tion and training.
Feb. 18	Ji-hatsu No. 136	Re: Conversion of the private institu- All " tions of correction into child prefectural welfare agencies. governors.
Feb. 19	Ji-hatsu No. 139	Re: Answers on measures for elevation Governor, of children's culture. Hiroshima Pref. "
Feb. 19	Ji-hatsu No. 140	Re: Establishment of a mothers' home. Governor, Iwate Pref. "
Feb. 19	Ji-hatsu No. 144	Re: National grant-in-aid for expenses Governor, on equipments of the homes for Tokyo dependent, neglected and abused Metropolis. children under the Child Welfare Law for the fiscal year 1948-49.

Repatriation Relief Agency

Feb. 14	Engo No. 126	Re: Expenditure necessary for enforcement of the Specific Unrepatriated Personnel's Allowance Law.	All Directors, Civil Welfare Departments, prefectural governments.	Director, Repatriation Relief Bureau
Feb. 14	Hatsu-fuku No. 3	Re: Duties on investigation and arrangement of the undemobilized for the fiscal year 1949-50.	All prefectural governors.	President, Repatriation Relief Agency
Feb. 15	Hatsu-so No. 145	Re: Notice on enforcement of the Cabinet Order amending a part of the Cabinet Order for enforcement of the Local Autonomy Law.	All prefectural governors.	Vice-President, Repatriation Relief Agency
Feb. 18	Engo No. 134	Re: Application for approval on return to Philippine Islands.	Governor, Kochi Pref.	Director, Repatriation Relief Bureau
Feb. 18	En-shi No. 136	Re: National grant-in-aid necessary of loaning business fund to needy persons for the fiscal year 1948-49.	Governors, Tokyo Metro. and 39 other prefectures.	"
Feb. 19	En-shi No. 138	Re: Grant for paying interest of funds loaned from Deposit Division to be appropriated for expenses on establishment of the accommodation facilities for the repatriates from Saghalien without relative in the fiscal year 1948-49.	Governors, Hokkaido and 6 prefectures in Tohoku District.	"
Feb. 19	Engo No. 143	Re: Amounts entrusted with disbursement of expenses required for repatriation, etc., of persons other than Japanese for the fiscal year 1948-49.	Governors, Tokyo Metro. and 8 other prefectures.	"

SECTION II

PREVENTIVE MEDICINE DIVISION.

Training Course in Drug Inspection

A one-week course in drug inspection will be held 11 to 16 April at the Institute of Public Health in Tokyo for the chiefs of the pharmaceutical affairs sections in Prefectural health departments. The course will be concerned principally with the regulations established by the Pharmaceutical Affairs Law in August 1948 and their implementation by a new system of drug inspection. An official announcement concerning the course is being sent to prefectural Governors by the Ministry of Welfare.

Flea Control

Fleas not only are general nuisances and inhibitors of sound restful sleep, but are efficient vectors of many disease organisms pathogenic to man and animals, i.e., plague, murine typhus, tularaemia, rat-bite fever, dog tapeworms, rat tapeworm. Some species serve as the direct causative agent of certain pathological conditions i.e., the "tunga" or "chigoe" flea (a burrowing flea) and the "stick tight" flea.

The most common species include the so-called human flea - Pulex irritans (also common on skunks and hogs), the cat flea, (Ctenocephalides felis), the dog flea (Ctenocephalides canis), the various rat fleas, (Xenopsylla cheopis) (Nosopsyllus

fasciatus) and the "stick tight" flea found on poultry (*Echidnophaga gallinacea*). These species are not host specific and may attack a variety of animals in their search for a blood meal in the absence of their preferred host.

Fleas are omnipresent creatures and may be found practically all year round. Usually the fleas are most predominant in the late spring and early summer months when climatic conditions are most favorable for their development. A second peak of population density may occur in the fall of the year, particularly if the humidity remains rather high. High temperature and low humidity are detrimental to the well-being of these insects.

Fortunately plague is not known to be present in Japan. Xenopsylla cheopis and other species of Xenopsylla are the most important vectors of this disease. The cat, dog and human fleas may also transmit the plague bacilli - the "stick-tight" flea has also been shown to harbor the bacillus of plague.

Murine typhus is transmitted from rat to man by the rat fleas. The cat and dog fleas are also important vectors of the rickettsii of this disease.

The tapeworm of the dog, *Dipylidium caninum* is transmitted by the dog flea especially to children who accidentally may swallow infected fleas while playing with infested dogs or cats.

While fleas are found in a household it generally indicates that infested dogs, cats or rats have free access to the place. The adult fleas deposit their eggs either on the host, or in the nests or sleeping quarters of their host (pets, rats) etc. Fleas also deposit eggs in seams of clothing and in beds and bedding. Larvae feed on particles of dry blood and organic materials in cracks and crevices under mats, carpets and tatami. Old piles of rags, bedding material of dogs, cats, domestic animals, rats, wherever they may be - in houses, sheds or barns, form excellent flea breeding areas. Under houses open to wanderings of small animals is a favored place for flea breeding. The life cycle of fleas may vary from 2 to 4 weeks depending upon climatic conditions, shelter and availability of food. Control is comparatively simple as the developmental and adult stages of fleas are susceptible to many control measures.

Sanitation of premises is the key note of flea control, but it must be a persistent effort on the part of every individual concerned. The following suggested control measures, combinations and/or modifications of these measures will be beneficial in flea control:

1. Exclusion or proper management of household pets (cats, dogs, rabbits, etc)
2. Exclusion and control of rodents.
3. Destruction of flea breeding foci -
 - a. Burning of bedding, nesting material, etc., used by pets, rats, etc.
 - b. Cleaning debris from areas around nests or beds of animals and burning of this debris.
4. Frequent cleaning of houses (sweeping out from under tatami, etc.)
5. Chemical control - mopping of exposed floors with strong cresolis or soap solutions.
 - a. Cresolis solution (5% in water) - sprayed sufficient to wet floors (under tatami particularly) paying attention to cracks and crevices.
 - b. Pyrethrum dust or DDT powders dusted under tatami, etc, will kill adult fleas.
 - c. DDT pre-dusting or spraying of rat runways, harborages, etc., six or seven days before rodent control operations in localities where murine typhus occurs or when its presence is suspected.

- d. Pyrethrum dust or DDT powder dusted in fur of cats and dogs kills adult fleas.
- e. Under houses -
 - (1) Coarse salt scattered on the ground under houses and then thoroughly wet down. (Prevents development of larvae).
 - (2) Cresote oil if available may be sprayed (kills all stages on contact).
 - (3) Frequent soakings with salt water taken from the ocean may be used under houses in seaside villages.
 - (4) Waste soap water from kitchen or laundry operations is useful.
 - (5) Nicotine sulphate (dilute 1:400 parts water) is effective.

SECTION III

VETERINARY AFFAIRS DIVISION

Immunization of Horses Attached to Special Services Hotels

Plans have been finalized with the Animal Hygiene Section, Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry for the immunization of all horses against Equine Encephalomyelitis that are attached to Special Services Hotels. This work will be carried out under the supervision of Prefectural Government Veterinarians and should be completed by 1 April. Horses that are on Procurement Demand or other-wise attached to United States Army units for operational purposes will also be immunized by Japanese Veterinarians. Medical Officers and Veterinarians of Military Government Teams should notify Special Service Hotels in their areas of the contemplated action.

Equine Encephalomyelitis

An outbreak of equine encephalomyelitis has been reported from Aomori Prefecture in the Nishitsugaru district with two cases in Narusawa and one each in Morita and Shibata. These cases are classed as suspects but in order to accurately diagnose the disease, laboratory inspectors have been dispatched by the Animal Hygiene Section, Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry.

Animal Diseases

The Animal Hygiene Section, Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry reported the following outbreaks of animal diseases for the periods:

26 February - 4 March

<u>Prefecture</u>	<u>Disease</u>	<u>Number of Cases</u>
Chiba	Swine erysipelas	1

4 March - 11 March

Kagawa	Swine cholera	41
Miyazaki	Anthrax	1
Aomori	Equine Encephalomyelitis	4 (suspects)

Note: Investigation is under way in Kagawa Prefecture to determine the possibility of the Swine cholera outbreak being due to the feeding of raw garbage from United States Army installations.

SECTION IV

SUPPLY DIVISION

National Pharmacist Examination

Ministry of Welfare Notification No. 24 published in the Official Gazette, 12 February, sets forth the conditions, date and locale of the National Pharmacist Examination. The theoretical examination is scheduled to be conducted 15 May at 0900 hours in fourteen locations in Japan: Miyagi, Tokyo, Chiba, Toyama, Ishikawa, Gifu, Shizuoka, Aichi, Kyoto, Osaka, Hyogo, Tokushima, Nagasaki and Kumamoto. Qualified persons may apply to the National Board of Pharmacy between 15 March and 15 April. The date of the practical examination will be published at a later date.

This is a noteworthy event. It marks the first time in Japan that pharmacists are required to qualify to practice their profession by successfully passing a state examination.

The Pharmaceutical Affairs Law, Law No. 197, dated 29 July 1948, provides for a National Pharmacist Examination to be conducted by the National Board of Pharmacy. Article 73 states: "A National Pharmacist Examination shall be held in 1949 and each year after." Article 12 states: "The Minister of Welfare shall decide the place and date of the examination, the time limit for presentation of a written application to qualify for the Examination and shall give public notice of the information at least three months prior to the date for the Examination."

Short Course on Drug Inspection

Attention is invited to the notification of a course on drug inspection in the Preventive Medicine Section of this issue of the Weekly Bulletin.

Distribution

During the period 27 February - 5 March, 1,081 pieces of DDT dusting and spraying equipment were distributed to 15 prefectures as follows:

<u>Prefecture</u>	<u>DDT Dusters</u>	<u>Knapsack Sprayers</u>	<u>Semiautomatic Sprayers</u>	<u>Hand Sprayers</u>
Akita	80			
Yamagata			100	
Fukushima	100			80
Saitama	50			
Chiba			2	
Tokyo			20	
Toyama	24			
Fukui				3
Nagano			30	
Kyoto			50	
Osaka				50
Wakayama		35		
Kagawa				100
Fukuoka		50	60	
Saga	200	20		
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TOTAL	454	105	262	260

Controlled Medicines

Ministry of Welfare Ordinance No. 37, dated 12 March 1949, lists 22 items to be removed from control and four items to be placed under control. The items affected are listed below.

Items to be removed from Control

Acetophenetidin	Fluid Extract of Nux Vomica
Acetophenetidin Tablets	Mercurochrome
Acetylsalicylic Acid	Potassium Iodide
Albumin Tannate	Silver Nitrate
Atropine Sulfate	Soluble Saccharine
Bismuth Subnitrate	Solution of Formaldehyde
Bromural	Solution of Potassium Acetate
Bromural Tablets	Weak Tincture of Iodide
Calcium Lactate	Zinc Oxide
Caffeine Sodium Benzoate	Zinc Sulfate
Compound Tincture of Gentian	Tincture of Iodide

Items to be placed under Control

Synthetic Ephedrine Hydrochloride
Powdered Extract of Nux Vomica
Rice Polishing Oil
Soy Bean Oil

The following quantities of vaccines have been reassayed and found to meet minimum standards:

<u>Product</u>	<u>Name of Manufacturer</u>	<u>Lot No.</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Typhoid & Paratyphoid	Sankyo Co.	77	30,150 cc
		84	38,600
		31	20,000

Production

The CY 1948 production program for pyrethrum emulsion was completed on 10 August 1948 with a total of 7,656 fifty-gallon drums or 382,800 gallons being produced. In addition to this figure, some manufacturers had left on hand quantities of the dried flowers and extracts of pyrethrum. This total of 9,375 kg. of dried flowers and 899 kg. of pyrethrum extracts, it is anticipated, will account for an additional 611 drums, each 50 gallons, or a total of 30,550 gallons of finished, now that additional allocations of 5.6 kl. of gasoline and 82 kl. of gas-oil, necessary for processing the extracts and diluting of the extracts, have been assured.

The CY 1949 production program for pyrethrum emulsion has been planned for a total of 8,075 drums, 50 gallons each, or 403,750 gallons of finished pyrethrum emulsion. This figure, plus the additional 30,550 gallons to be made available, (according to the preceding paragraph), will provide a total of 8,686 drums, 50 gallons each, or a grand total of 434,300 gallons of finished pyrethrum emulsion for scheduled public health insect control activities during 1949.

Inclosure No. 1, furnishes a list of the scheduled pyrethrum emulsion manufacturers for the 1949 program with the locations of the main offices and factories and nearest railway station to be used for the future distribution of the insecticide.

SECTION V

NARCOTIC CONTROL DIVISION

Enforcement

The Narcotic Division, Hokkaido, established a branch office in Hakodate 1 March in order to more effectively combat narcotic traffic in the area. Results

obtained will be used as a criterion for establishing branch offices for narcotic agents in areas where the center of illicit traffic is removed from prefectural capitals.

Narcotic Control Activities Report - January

The January report on narcotic control activities from the Ministry of Welfare contained the following information:

Total registrants	90,851
Arrests - Registered persons	11
Unregistered persons	56
Convictions - Registered persons	8
Unregistered persons	55
Thefts of narcotics (including four hospitals)	19
Losses by fire (including one hospital)	2

Penalties for registrants varied from ¥ 3,000 to ¥ 10,000 fines and from eight months to one year six months penal servitude with two defendants having sentences of penal servitude abrogated to suspended sentences varying from two to four years duration. Penalties for non-registrants varied from ¥ 300 to ¥ 54,000 fines and three months to two years penal servitude with 18 suspended sentences varying from three months to three years duration. Seven registrants received administrative disposition (suspension of license) and ten registrants were admonished for minor violations.

The report also summarized the activities of narcotic agents as follows:

Inspection of registrants	1,446
Investigations originated	124
Investigations concluded	95
Investigations not concluded	245

SECTION VI

WELFARE DIVISION

Cooperative for American Remittances to Europe, Inc., (CARE)

The following report covers "CARE Operations in Japan" since the arrival of their first shipment of "gift" packages in July 1948 through 28 February 1949:

Food

Total packages received		19,979
Packages damaged	2,813	
Packages delivered	12,037	
Packages in process of delivery	3,503	18,353
Total packages on hand <u>available</u> for delivery		1,626

b. Woolen

Total packages received		3,012
Packages damaged	9	
Packages delivered	2,707	
Packages in process of delivery	296	
Standing orders for packages	1,507	4,519

Number of packages <u>not available</u> to cover standing orders		1,507
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c. Blanket

Total packages received		1,644
Packages damaged	10	
Packages delivered	782	
Packages in process of delivery	198	990

Total packages on hand <u>available</u> for delivery		654
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d. Knitting

Total packages received		1,008
Packages damaged	5	
Packages delivered	745	
Packages in process of delivery	258	
Standing orders for packages	63	1,071

Number of packages <u>not available</u> to cover standing orders		63
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Heifers for Relief Committee Shipments

The "Heifers for Relief Committee" (30 North Marion Avenue, Pasadena 4, California) established a goat shipment project to Japan. This project was to ship approximately 2,000 goats to Japan for use in welfare, education and rehabilitation projects, reference Public Health and Welfare Weekly Bulletin, No. 68 (for the period 12-18 April 1948).

The eighth and final shipment of the above mentioned "goat shipment project" arrived in Japan (Yokohama) aboard the S. S. Flying Scud on 3 March 1949 and included 309 goats (245 adults - 64 kids). Including this shipment a total of 1,945 goats have been received.

The 245 adult goats (kids will accompany same adults) received in the above shipment have been allocated as follows:

	<u>Goats</u>
Ministry of Welfare (for welfare institutions)	121
Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry (for agricultural colleges)	124
TOTAL	245

The distribution of the 121 adult goats allotted to the Ministry of Welfare has been approved and they are now being distributed in accordance with the following schedule:

<u>Prefecture</u>	<u>Name of Institution</u>	<u>Number of Goats</u>
Tokyo	Kokusai Seibo Byoin	3
	Japan Christian Rural Service & Training Center	3
	Sendagi Christian Service Fellowship	2
	Tosei Gakuen	5
	Nazaretto-no-Ie	3
	Itsukaichi Hoikuen	5
	Fujin Kyofukai	2
	Seimei Gakuen	3
	Seishin Ryoyoen	3
	Keisen Jogakuen Hoikujo	5
	Kurume Kinrohodo Gakuen	3
	Seijo Nyujiin	3
Saitama	Saitama Gakuen	3
	Musashino Gakuen	3
	Kohokai Tamayodoen	3
	Fukuoka-ryo	3
	Yoshimi Gakuen	3
Chiba	Kujukuri Home	5
	Ichinomiya Gakuen	5
Hyogo	Rural Center	3
	Inagawa Rural Center and Summer Camps	5
Nagano	Kyoin Hoyojo	3
	Shinsei Ryoyojo	5
	Tokyo Byoin Komoro Bunin	3
Kanagawa	Monastery of the Precious Blood	5
	Shirayuri Noen	3
	Nakasato Gakuen	3
	Kokufu Jisshu Gakko	3
	Seibo-no-Sono Yoyoin	3
Shizuoka	Bukkyo Yogoin	3
	Udo Jumanaya Hoikuen	3
	Kodomo-no-Ie Fukuin-ryo	3
	Bentenjima Dobo-ryo	3
	Osaka-mura Hoikuen	3
Hiroshima	Hiroshima-ken Kinen Byoin	5

Child Welfare - Release of Technical Bulletin

Attached to this Weekly Bulletin (Incl. #2) is a copy of Technical Bulletin #18 dated March 1949, subject, "Some Aspects of Child Care". The material presented therein has been released to the Ministry of Welfare and will be available in Japanese at an early date.

SECTION VII

SOCIAL SECURITY DIVISION

General

The interest being taken by the professional organizations in the social insurance program has been further emphasized by the Japanese Dental Association. The Social Insurance Committee established within that Association held an open meeting on 13 February in Tokyo with approximately 600 dentists, doctors and interested people attending.

Addresses were given by representatives of the Insurance Bureau, Ministry of Welfare, those insured by these programs, the Dental Association and the public at

large. The lectures gave information as to the nature of the interest which the groups or organs they represented have in the social insurance programs.

According to the report made by a representative of the Committee, comments and questions following the lectures were directed particularly to the schedule of fees-for-service, the type of dental care to be included in benefits, and whether any form of such care would be excluded. Several doctors were of the opinion that the fees should be the same for insured and non-insured persons, at the rate established by the Ministry of Welfare based upon the recommendations of a fee calculating committee, and that all dentists should adhere to these fees for adequate dental care. No conclusions or resolutions were passed at this meeting.

A member of the Committee, in commenting on the meeting, said that many of the other comments and questions indicated to him that the dentists as a whole know but very little about the social insurances. Plans are now being made to disseminate information regarding the social insurances to members of the Dental Association and to conduct similar meetings more frequently. There was exhibited a willingness on the part of the dentists to do everything within their power to promote, advise, and urge full support of the social insurances in order to make the Japanese programs successful.

SECTION VIII

MEMORANDUM TO THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

<u>PHMJG</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>SUBJECT</u>	<u>SURVEILLANCE</u>	<u>DISTRIBUTION</u>
94	3/8/49	Application for Release of American Trucks for Disaster Relief Measures.	No	MG 8th Army

Note: Ministry of Welfare, Japanese Government, request, above subject, not favorably considered due to non-availability of American vehicles.

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4 Incls:

- Incl. #1: Manufacturers of Pyrethrum Emulsion in 1949.
- Incl. #2: Technical Bulletin #18 "Some Aspects of Child Care".
- Incl. #3: Weekly Report of Communicable Diseases and Venereal Diseases for the Week ended 5 March 1949.
- Incl. #4: Summary Report of Cases and Deaths from Communicable Diseases in Japan, 4 Week Period Ending 26 February 1949.

Note: Restricted Annex included with this issue for information to Military Government Teams only.

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